

1 SENATE BILL NO. 500

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4 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT REMOVING THE PROHIBITION AGAINST USING CHILDREN'S
5 HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM INSURANCE FOR CONTRACEPTION; AND AMENDING SECTION
6 53-4-1005, MCA."

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8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

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10 **Section 1.** Section 53-4-1005, MCA, is amended to read:

11 **"53-4-1005. (Temporary) Benefits provided.** ~~(4)~~ Benefits provided to participants in the program may
12 include but are not limited to:

13 ~~(a)~~(1) inpatient and outpatient hospital services;14 ~~(b)~~(2) physician and advanced practice registered nurse services;15 ~~(c)~~(3) laboratory and x-ray services;16 ~~(d)~~(4) well-child and well-baby services;17 ~~(e)~~(5) immunizations;18 ~~(f)~~(6) clinic services;19 ~~(g)~~(7) dental services;20 ~~(h)~~(8) prescription drugs;21 ~~(i)~~(9) mental health and substance abuse treatment services;22 ~~(j)~~(10) hearing and vision exams; and23 ~~(k)~~(11) eyeglasses.

24 ~~(2) The department is specifically prohibited from providing payment for birth control contraceptives~~
25 ~~under this program. (Terminates on occurrence of contingency--sec. 15, Ch. 571, L. 1999.)"~~

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